





#### NANTUCKET MEMORIAL AIRPORT

# Master Plan Working Group Meeting

Tuesday, November 12, 2013









#### MEETING AGENDA

- Welcoming Remarks
- Introductions
- Role of the Master Plan Working Group
- Overview of the Master Plan & Schedule
- Recent Airport Projects & Updates
- Existing Conditions Review
- Q&A/ General Discussion/ Issues and Concerns
- Next Steps/Milestones/Schedule









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Town Planner

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Airport Compliance Officer

Nantucket Flying Association

**Island Airlines** 

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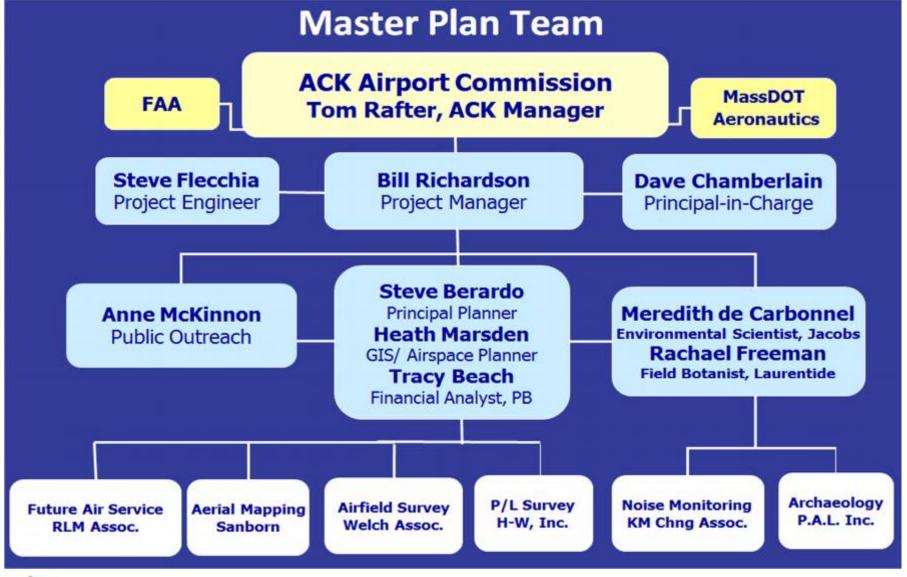




# ROLE OF THE WORKING GROUP

"Provide advisory input to the Airport Commission, who will be the Master Plan decision makers, and to serve as a liaison with Community Leaders and Advocacy Groups on Master Plan issues and concerns."







#### The Master Plan Process

# Inventory & Forecasts

**Aviation Activity** 

#### Facility Existing Conditions

- -Facilities
- -Environmental
- -FAA Standards

Demand/Capacity

#### Airport Alternatives

Master Plan Concept/Financial Analysis

Airport Layout Plan (ALP) Drawing Set

Environmental Overview

#### Public Outreach

Working Group

Public Information Meetings

Web Site & Other Media





### **ACK Master Plan Schedule**

Phase/Task	Summer '13	Fall '13	Winter '13	Spring '14	Summer '14
Inventory/ GIS Mapping/ Air Service Trends					
Environmental Sustainability					
Forecasts/ Fleet Mix					
Coastal Process Analysis					
Alt. Concepts Potential Impacts					
Implementations Plan/ ALP					
Financial Feasibility Plan					
Environmental Overview		T			
Public Outreach		*	*	*	*





### Airport Rescue and Fire Fighting (ARFF) Building





- New ARFF building (2012)
- Required by Federal Aviation Regulation



### **Terminal Building Expansion & Renovations**





- Renovation and rehab of the Passenger Terminal Building, 2008-2010
- Added 18,000 sq. ft. total area = 30,000 sq. ft.
- Accommodates passenger processing and TSA security requirements
- Capacity constraints during peak summer season





#### Runway 33 Extension



- 500 ft. extension completed in 2012
- Enables more Runway 33 over-water landings
- Enhances operational flexibility
- Approach path lights & taxiway to be constructed



Taxiway 'J'





- Newly constructed Taxiway 'J' meets new FAA taxiway design standards
- Enhances operational flexibility and safety

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# PROJECTS AND UPDATES Gravel Parking Lot





- Newly graded gravel auto parking lot 107 spaces
- Accommodates seasonal rental car overflow

### **New FBO/Airport Administration Building**



- New Airport Administration and FBO offices
- Consolidates airport management + provides economies of scale
- New Aviation Gateway to the Island



## Snow Removal Equipment (SRE) Building





Consider additional storage space options

# Ground Service Equipment (GSE) – Storage Building













Options for additional GSE storage space

## Runway Safety Area (RSA) on Runway 12-30



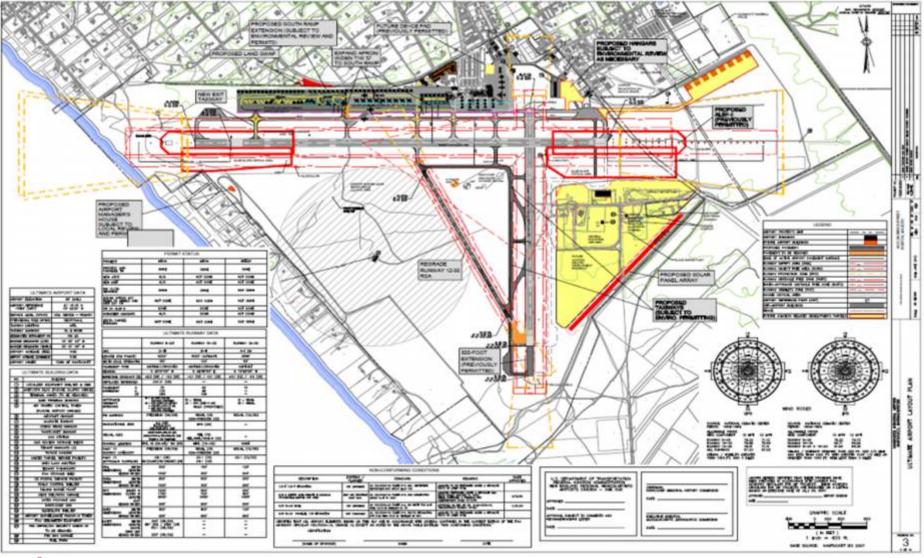








### Nantucket Airport Layout Plan (ALP)





### **Environmental & Sustainability**

- Airport uses geothermal heating and cooling at terminal.
- Airport is studying potential for solar power.
- ACK's history of sustainable practices for "Carbon Neutral" program by MassDOT to become nation's first carbon neutral airport.
- Electric vehicle charging station at Hangar 2.







### **Environmental & Sustainability**

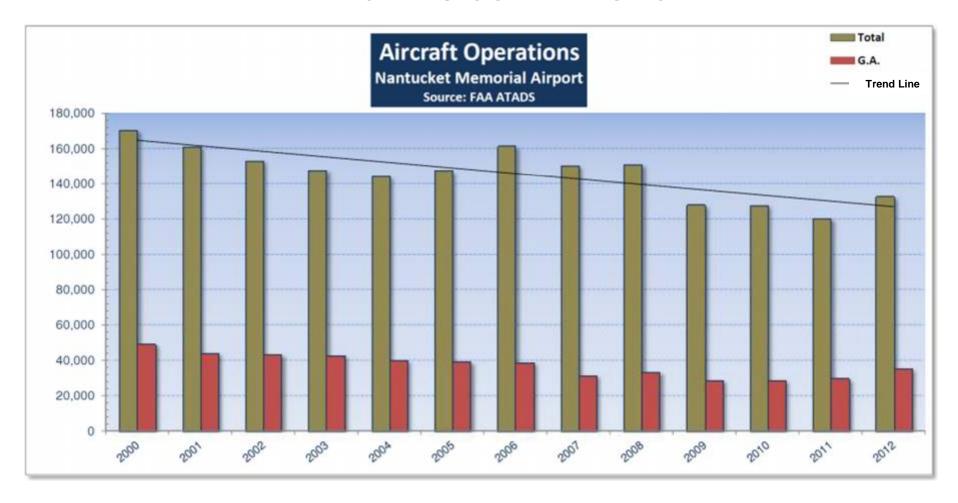
- Ecological Management Plan to help guide airport best practices for habitat management and enhancement.
- ACK has ongoing commitment to reducing, reusing, retrofitting, and recycling.
- Consider habitat enhancement program to coordinate all Town projects







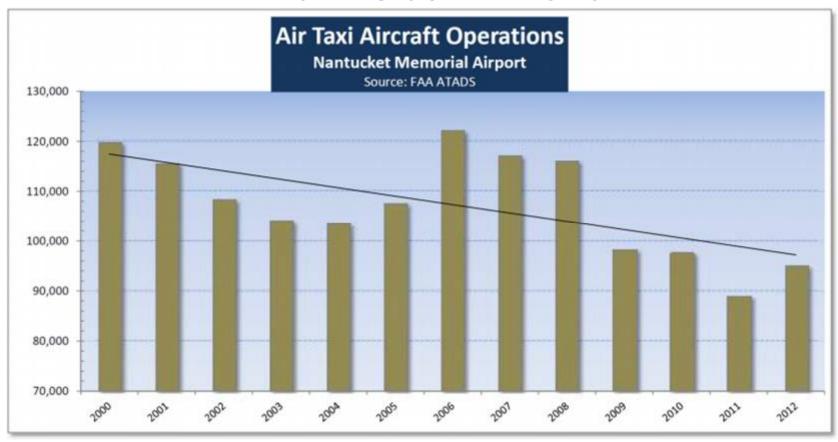






Between 2000 and 2012 aircraft operations (takeoffs and landings) decreased by 22%



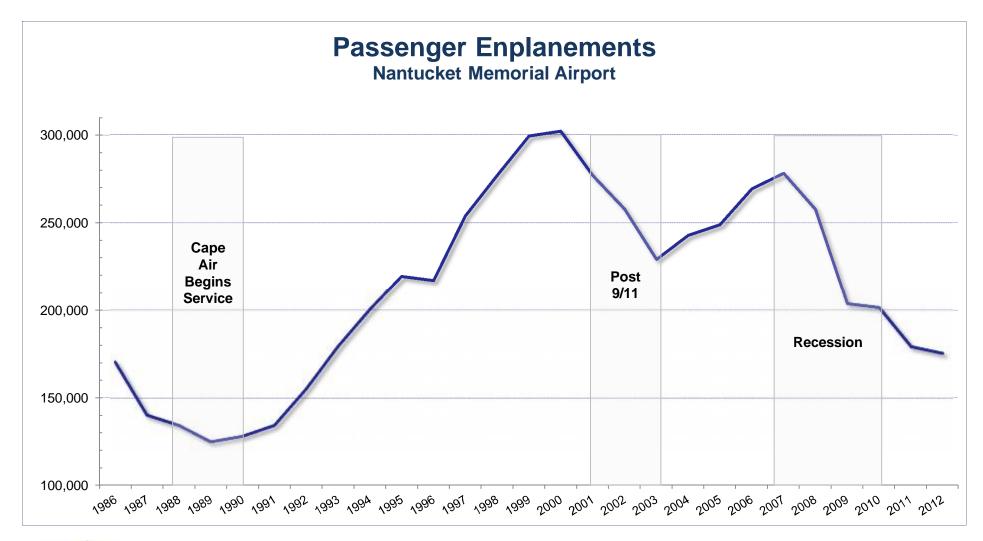


- Air taxi operations declined by 26%
- Still represent the majority of commercial operations at ACK
- The decline is due to various factors:
  - The recession of 2008-2010
  - Shift of passengers to high-speed ferry service





#### AVIATION ACTIVITY TRENDS





#### YEAR-ROUND AIR SERVICE AT NANTUCKET







- Very Short Haul
- High Frequency
- FAR Part 135 Air Taxi
- Primarily Origin & Destination (O&D)
- ACK-HYA; ACK-BOS Primary Markets
- Compete against SSA & Hy-Line ferries



#### SEASONAL AIR SERVICE AT NANTUCKET



- Mainline Connections
- Short Haul
- Hub Feed & Beyond Markets
- FAR Part 121
- Not competing with ferries
- RJ market shifting rapidly:
  - → 50-seat A/C retired
  - → 70-100 seat jet replacements









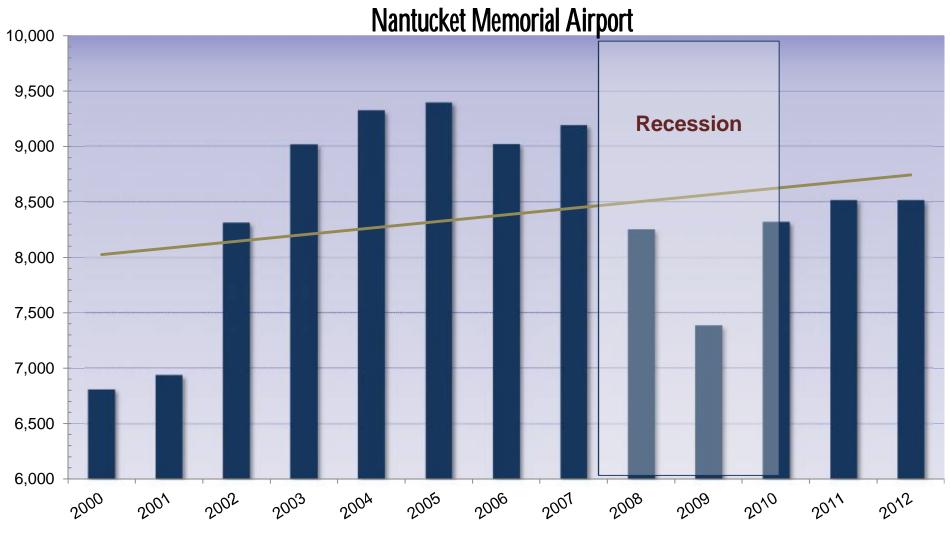
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#### LARGER AIRCRAFT AT NANTUCKET





## **Business Jet Operations**





Source: FAA TFMSC

#### LARGER AIRCRAFT AT NANTUCKET









# NEXT STEPS, MILESTONES & SCHEDULE



- ✓ Air Service Trends
- ✓ Aviation Forecasts
- ✓ Airport Facility Needs
- ✓ Alternative Concepts





### **Questions and Discussion**



